Road (Kammalakuttai–Pudupalayam)

* 1344 Q.—Sri N. K. PALANISAMI: Will the Hon. the Minister for Local Administration be pleased to state—

(a) whether the District Collector, Coimbatore, and the Chief Engineer, have recommended to the Government the change of nomenclature or alignment of Kammalakuttai-Pudupalayam road in Erode taluk, Coimbatore district; and

(b) the reasons for delay in agreeing to their recommendations?

The Hon. Srimathi LOURDHAMMAL SIMON: (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The matter was under correspondence with the Chief Engineer (Highways and Rural Works) whose final reply was received in May 1961. Orders have since been issued on 15th June 1961 approving the proposal.

Surplus waters of the Periyar

* 1345 Q.—Sri A. A. RASHEED and Sri N. R. THIAGARAJAN } Will the Hon. the Minister for Works be pleased to state—

(a) whether the Government have approached the Kerala Government for sharing the Periyar surplus waters for irrigation; and

(b) if so, the reply received from them?

The Hon. Sri P. KAKKAN: (a) & (b) This Government have taken up the question of diverting the surplus waters of the Western Ghats at the meeting of the Southern Zonal Council. They have also addressed the Planning Commission on the matter, who is expected to consult this Government before schemes now under investigation are finalized.

Sri A. A. RASHEED: What is the area that could be irrigated with the surplus waters of the Periyar?

The Hon. Sri P. KAKKAN: I have no information. If the hon. Member were to put a separate question, I will give the answer.

Sri K. RAMACHANDRAN: ஸார், தஞ்சையில் வெள்ளம் வந்த காலத்தில், பெரியாற்றிலும் வெள்ளம் ஏற்பட்டு, கேரளாவிலும் வெள்ளம் ஏற்பட்டது; வெள்ளத்தின் அதிகத் தண்ணீரை வைகையில் திறந்து விடப்பட்டது என்று கேள்விப்படுகிறோம். அப்படி இருக்கும் பெரியாற்று அதிகத் தண்ணீரை ராமநாதபுரம் ஜில்லாவிற்குக் கொடுத்து உதவியளிக்க ஏற்பாடுசெய்ய முடியுமா?

The Hon. Sri P. KAKKAN: மழை பெய்யும்காலங்களில் அதிகத் தண்ணீர் வரும் காரணத்தினால், கேரள ஸர்க்காரும், நம் ஸர்க்காரும் சேர்ந்து பேசி, நல்லதொரு முடிவு சொன்னால்

கவுன்சில் மூலம் எடுக்கப்படும் என்று நினைக்கிறேன். சமீபத்தில் ஏற்பட்ட வெள்ளத்தின் காரணத்தால், அதிகத் ஜலத்தின் உபயோகத்தை கேரள அரசாங்கமும் உணரும் அதிலிருந்து நல்லதொரு முடிவு ஏற்படும் என்று நினைக்கிறேன்.

Industrial Estate (Tiruvannamalai)

DEPUTY SPEAKER: As the hon. Member who gave notice of question No. 1346 is not in his seat, the question and answer will be printed in the proceedings.

* 1346 *Q.*—SRI P. U. SHANMUGAM: கனம் கைத்தொழில் அமைச்சர் தயவுசெய்து கீழ்க்கண்ட கேள்விக்குப் பதிலளிப்பாரா—

மூன்றாவது ஐந்தாண்டு திட்ட காலத்திற்குள் திருவண்ணாமலையில் ஒரு தொழிற் பேட்டை ஏற்படுத்த உத்தேசமுண்டா?

THE HON. SRI R. VENKATARAMAN: No, Sir.

Industrial Estate (Chettinad)

* 1347 *Q.*—SRI K. VINAYAKAM: Will the Hon. the Minister for Industries be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether there is any Industrial Estate in Chettinad area; and

(*b*) the various development schemes that were launched upon and completed in Chettinad area, Ramanathapuram district during the First and Second Five-Year Plans?

THE HON. SRI R. VENKATARAMAN: (*a*) & (*b*) The answer is placed on the table of the House.

SRI K. VINAYAKAM: In the paper placed on the table of this House, it is stated that it is answer to the Legislative Assembly starred question No. 1567. But it does not say anything about the author of the question whereas in the other similar papers placed on the table of the House, mention is made about the authors of those questions. Is this omission casual or deliberate?

DEPUTY SPEAKER: The hon. Member can refer to the proceedings of the House. He can go to the Legislature Library. There is no reply from the Hon. Minister. I pass on to the next question.

Training Centre for Tools and Dye-makers (Dindigul)

DEPUTY SPEAKER: As the hon. Member who gave notice of question No. 1348 is not in his seat, the question and answer will be printed in the proceedings.

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